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## GOVERNMENT CONTROL

### LEAGUE MEETING

A mass meeting was held in the opera house on Tuesday evening under the auspices of the new Government Control League of Alberta.

The chair was occupied by Mr. P. M. Christophers, M.L.A. The principal speakers were Mr. George E. McCrea, of Calgary, provincial organizer for the League; Mr. F. Wheatley, president of the Alberta Federation of Labor; A. E. Cox and John Herron, ex-M.P., of Pincher Creek.

All addresses were brief and to the point. Mr. Wheatley spoke as representing labor and from a labor man's in-

point of view outlining the advantages of Government Control under Clause "D" over the present unworkable system. The views as expressed by Mr. Wheatley were such as are endorsed by about 95 per cent. of labor throughout this district. He urged upon the endorsement of Clause D as a first choice.

Through some unavoidable circumstances, Mr. James Weir, of Nanton, was unable to be present.

The Nobel prize for medicine for 1924 has been awarded to Dr. F. G. Banting and Dr. J. J. Macleod, of Toronto, for their discovery of insulin-

## NEW BLAIRMORE

### GARAGE COMPLETED

We understand that the new Blairmore Garage will be opened for business on Monday next.

The new premises and business form quite a valuable asset to the town. The garage will be one of the finest in the southern portion of the province, if not the finest, being of two stories, fifty feet wide by 115 feet in length. Entrance to the main floor is made from the level of Victoria Street, while the basement may be entered five miles rear. The construction work was done by Contractor Pozzi and is one of the most substantial buildings in the district. The heating system is being installed by the Knapman Plumbing Co.

## CONCERT A SUCCESS

The concert given in the Orpheum Theatre on Monday night under the auspices of the local Tuxis Quartet was indeed a treat. All enjoyed the character singing of Messrs. McMurdo and Taysom, of Pincher Creek, who were assisted at the piano by Mrs. McMurdo and Mrs. Taysom. Others taking part were Mrs. L. L. Morgan, Mr. Stevens, Mr. Sturrock, Misses Palmer and Dicken, Mrs. D. C. Mackenzie and Master Thomas.

Dr. Charles Proteus Steinmetz, electrical wizard, died at his home in Schenectady, N.Y., on Friday last.

## HOME BANK DEPOSITORS

### MEET FEDERAL MEMBER

At a largely attended meeting of Home Bank of Canada depositors, held last night at the Cosmopolitan hotel, the local situation as affecting them was explained to Mr. G. G. Coote, federal member for this riding.

The meeting was presided over by Mayor McLeod as chairman of the Blairmore Branch of the Home Bank Depositors Association, who introduced to the meeting Mr. F.M. Shristophers, M.L.A., and Mr. G.G. Coote, M.P., both of whom briefly addressed the meeting.

Mr. Coote desired to be of some service to the depositors on this occasion and promised to bring the case strongly before the federal authorities, who he felt were under serious moral obligation to the depositors in this case. For time immemorial wage earners were advised to deposit their monies for safe keeping only with banks chartered by the government and because the public understood it that an institution chartered by the government was entitled to government backing, savings were deposited there, not for the purpose of gain, but for safe keeping. He therefore, felt that a moral obligation rested upon the federal government and he felt that he could meet them at Ottawa on this occasion with sufficient ammunition to effect a win. He felt that as far back as 1915 or 1917 the Bankers' Association and the government were well aware of the financial condition of the Home Bank of Canada, and that at the time of the establishment of a branch of that institution in Blairmore it was well known that the financial position of the bank was not strong. Failure of the bank was brought about principally through unwise or foolish loans or investments.

Mr. Coote suggested that a holding company should be formed to take over all assets of the bank and realize therefrom the most possible, and asked that the meeting endorse an idea such as this. He briefly outlined his plan as proposed in his federal house last year, in which he maintained considerable, but not sufficient support. He was opposed by seven legal representatives of the Bankers' Association, while the government had not a legal adviser. The Bankers' Association had drafted and amended the present Bank Act to its present stage, and needless to say the Act as it stands today is suited to the purposes of the Association.

Mr. Frank Wheatley felt that this meeting should carry out the suggestion of Mr. Coote and that the government should do the work of winding up the bank's affairs gratuitously. He felt that if liquidation proceedings were allowed, the depositors would get only what assets would immediately realize.

The following motion was passed unanimously:

Moved by F. Wheatley, seconded by M. Joyce, that we, the Blairmore Depositors of the Home Bank of Canada, declare ourselves as unalterably opposed to any liquidation proceedings, and ask the Federal Government to take over all assets and to pay to the depositors the full value of their deposits.

Also the following resolution was endorsed unanimously:

Moved by F. Wheatley, seconded by L. L. Morgan, that, Whereas, the people of Canada have been misled by the provisions of the Banking Act, in that the reports submitted to the Government, and accepted, have meant no security to those who deposit money in private banks;

And whereas, we have every reason to believe, after a study of the circumstances surrounding the collapse of the Home Bank, the questionable details which became public regarding the Merchants Bank, the more recent absorption of the Bank of Ham-

ilton by the larger banking institutions, coupled with tardiness of the government under pressure of the banking interests to allow any revision of the Banking Act at the last session of parliament at Ottawa, that it is not well with Canadian banking institutions;

Therefore, be it resolved that we, the Home Bank Depositors of Blairmore, emphatically condemn the federal Government for their present inaction and consider the blame for the depositors' losses is mainly attributable to government neglect by having fostered this false security, and in the interest of those who may use the banks and with a view to bringing Mr. Elliott.

A vote of appreciation of the interest taken by both Mr. Coote and Mr. Christophers was passed.

government and the Bankers' Association to reimburse the loss to the Home Bank depositors at one hundred per cent.

Wheatley-Joyce—That this meeting ask both their federal and provincial representatives to convey the substance of the above resolutions to their respective governments, urging that immediate action be taken, and that fullest publicity be given the matter and that a copy of resolutions be forwarded to the federal minister of finance. Carried.

Mr. Wheatley was appointed a member of the local executive, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Elliott.

IS YOUR NAME

WRITTEN THERE?

See to it that your name is on the voters' list. Tomorrow (Friday) is the last day in which you can register and that steps have been taken by the your name as a voter.

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## VOTE "1" for CLAUSE "D"

### (GOVERNMENT CONTROL)

#### NOVEMBER 5th

The Legislature and not the Moderationists are responsible for the wording of Clause "D" and it is the Legislature that will have to interpret it. It is evident however, that it was not intended to and will not mean the return of the BAR SYSTEM. The Government and the Legislature being a democratic body depend on the people for their support and they recognize that the people of Alberta, both Prohibitionists and Moderationists, are against it and they would not dare to legislate in the face of popular opinion.

There are many ways in which the consumption of beer on licensed premises can be regulated without restoring the bar system and we may rest assured that it is one of these systems the Government will adopt rather than one which is objectionable to the people.

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### PROVINCIAL REVENUE

A considerable increase in revenue from motor licenses has been recorded this year. The total received to date this year has been \$739,410, which is about \$10,000 in excess already of the amount estimated at the beginning of the year.

The revenue from the gasoline tax has also been fairly good, and it is anticipated that the estimate of \$235,000, will be almost reached. In the nine months more than \$185,000 has been collected, with receipts for October, always a heavy month, still to come in.

The amusement tax revenue also shows a considerable increase, the figures for the first nine months of this year being \$144,264, an increase of \$17,492 over the same period of last year.

### ALBERTA EXHIBITS TO CHICAGO

Alberta will be represented at the international hay and grain show at Chicago in December by a comprehensive educational exhibit to be prepared jointly by the provincial department of agriculture and the Alberta University. While the exhibit will feature production of seed grain in Alberta, and will be particularly educative in relation to certain phases of agriculture, the exhibit will also be a comprehensive display of Alberta's products. It is three years since Alberta was last represented at Chicago with an official Government exhibit, although individual exhibitors have always been prominent in the international exhibit. The individual exhibits from farmers are now in course of preparation and assembly. The provincial department of agriculture is paying the freight on these individual exhibits from point of assembly to Chicago.

### WHEAT POOL IN OPERATION

Official announcement has been made that the Alberta wheat pool will be in operation the coming week. The Alberta manager is to be Chester M. Elliott, formerly with the United Grain Growers in Calgary, and David M. Smith, formerly export manager for the United Grain Growers at Winnipeg, is eastern sales manager. The initial payment to farmers will be 75 cents a bushel, basis Fort William, on No. 1 wheat, less handling charges. Arrangements have been made for the handling of the wheat through elevators controlled by elevator companies in Alberta who have signed contracts with the pool.

### PICQUETING NOT ILLEGAL

In Calgary, Justice Ives rendered a decision that "picqueting" in labor troubles is legal, if it is conducted in a legal manner. The case was a suit against the Restaurant Employees' Union for damages amounting to \$2,000 from loss of business due to picqueting a non-union restaurant. The case was dismissed with costs. The picqueting consisted of distributing circulars in the vicinity of the plaintiff's restaurant containing the names of "fair" restaurants in the city—"fair" meaning operated according to the rules of the labor union. The name of the plaintiff did not appear on the circulars, the omission implying that the restaurant was unfair. Judge Ives held that although the purpose of the defendant union was to deflect business from the plaintiff's restaurant to union restaurants in the legitimate interests of the members of the union, the pic-

### FUNERAL OF A. M. ELLIOTT

The funeral of the late Albert Marshall Elliott took place on Friday afternoon last and very largely attended. The members of Rocky Mountain Lodge No. 86, A. F. & A. M., and visiting brethren, attended in a body. Service at the Union church was conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. T. Young, who delivered a touching eulogy of the departed citizen, who since coming to Blairmore about three years ago had ever been active with the church work, and who up to the time of his death had been an active member of the church board. An appropriate selection was rendered by the choir.

Floral offerings were many and included:

Wife and Daughter—Gates, Ajax; Brothers and Sisters—Union Church Choir Members, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Chappell, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Visac, Crosses; Elsie, Winnie and Pat, Order Eastern Star, Coleman Tennis Club, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Upton, Mr. and Mrs. H. Burns, Mr. and Mrs. S. Knapman, Mr. and Mrs. Whyte, Mr. and Mrs. F. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Huffman, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Purvis, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Robert, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Granger, Mr. J. R. Gresham, sprays; Rocky Mountain Lodge No. 86, Masonic Emblem; West Canadian Collieries, Limited, Star; Blairmore Tennis Club, Racquet; Union Church Board of Stewards, F. M. Pinkney and Family, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Harper, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Griesbach, F. M. Thompson and Family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lord, Mr. and Mrs. J. Black, Wreaths; Mr. and Mrs. H. Pinkney, Anchor; Mrs. P. Pistor, Heart; Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Morgan, Lyre.

The late Mr. Elliott was born at Morphet, Northernland County, England, on July 26th, 1887. For three years he resided at Hillhurst, Calgary. During the war he enlisted with the 56th Battalion and was later drafted for overseas service into the 51st. He was wounded in the Somme in 1916.

### AMERICAN CONSULAR SERVICE

Foreigners continue to flock to the American Consulate at Fernie to secure passports to enable them to enter the United States. In this connection three things should be distinctly understood. 1. A passport is absolutely essential in the case of all persons who are neither American nor British subjects, except foreigners who have entered Canada from the United States within six months. This passport cannot be waived either because of long residence in Canada or because the foreigner desires to enter the United States merely for a short visit.

2. Passports are not granted by the American Consul, but must be secured in each case from the foreigner's own consul. For instance, subjects of Italy, Sweden, Norway and Holland, must apply to their respective consuls in Montreal, Quebec; a Polish citizen must apply to the Polish consul at Winnipeg, Manitoba, and a Finnish citizen must apply to the Finnish vice consul at Port Arthur, Ontario.

3. When the foreigner has secured his passport he should take up with the American consul at Fernie the matter of securing his visa. The immigration authorities at the line will not admit a foreigner upon an unexpired passport.

### AFTER THE BALL

After the ball was over, She took out her old glass eye. Put her false teeth in the basin, Washed off the paint and dye, Threw her wooden leg in the corner, Hung her false hair on the wall, The rest of her went to bye bye, After the ball.

J. B. Harmer and family have arrived from Calgary and will reside here in future.

quoting itself was not illegal, and became so only when it was accompanied by illegal acts.

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## CANADIAN PACIFIC

### TEACHERS' CONFERENCE

The teachers of the west portion of the Macleod inspectorate will meet in convention at Coleman on Friday, November 23rd, when the following programme will take place:

9.15 a.m.—Invocation by Rev. D. K. Allan, pastor of the Institutional church. President's address, D. M. J. Conway, Blairmore.

9.30—Primary Seat Work, Miss M. Bull, of Pincher Creek. Discussion led by Miss Burbeck, of Coleman.

10.45—General Science—J. Tonks, principal of Hillcrest school. Discussion led by J. Morgan, B.A., of Macleod, inspector of schools.

1.30 p.m.—Examinations—C. V. Asselstine, principal of Bellevue school.

2.20—Alberta Teachers' Alliance business, led by J. Stevenson, principal of Pincher Creek school.

2.50—Geography—Led by O. Williams, principal of Coleman school.

3.35—History (Intermediate)—Led by J. Stevenson, of Pincher Creek.

4.20—Question Box.

4.50—Organization for 1924.

7.00—Banquet.

The convention will be held in the Institutional church.

Teachers who are in doubt as to whether they should attend the convention at Macleod or the one at Coleman may decide for themselves. This refers to teachers who do not know whether they should be counted in the west or east portion of the inspectorate.

A man walked into a shoe store, accompanied by his wife and 10 children, and said to the clerk, "I want to get the hull lot of 'em fitted up in shoes."

After two hours of hard work, the clerk succeeded in getting each child fitted, and was beginning to make out the bill.

"Oh! don't bother about that," said the man. "I don't want to buy the shoes. I just want to get the sizes so I can order 'em from Timothy Eaton & Co."

### IN THE SUPREME COURT OF ONTARIO

In the Matter of the Home Bank of Canada, and in the Matter of the Winding-Up Act.

Pursuant to the Order of Mr. Justice Fisher made in this matter on the eighth day of October, 1923, a meeting of the Creditors of the Home Bank of Canada will be held in Massey Hall, corner Shuter and Victoria Streets, Toronto, on Thursday, the 8th day of December, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon; and on Friday, the seventh day of December, 1923, at the same place at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, a meeting of the Creditors of the said Bank will be held, the purpose of such meetings being that the wishes of the Creditors and Shareholders respectively may be ascertained as to the appointment of Liquidators under the Winding-Up Act, and the Liquidators ascertain the wishes as to borrowing sufficient monies to pay an immediate dividend of 25 cents in the dollar to Creditors, and their wishes as to the advisability of transferring all or any part of the assets of the Bank to a Realization Company.

By the same Order the further consideration of the Petitions presented herein was adjourned to Friday, the 14th day of December, 1923, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and the said Petitions will then be heard by the Honorable Mr. Justice Fisher in Chambers at Osgoode Hall, in the City of Toronto, and notice of such hearing is, pursuant to the said Order, hereby given to all parties entitled to be heard.

By the same Order all persons claiming to be Creditors of the said Bank are required to file their claims with the Provisional Liquidators, G. T. Clarkson and J. E. Weldon, at No. 15 Wellington Street West, Toronto, on or before the 29th day of November, 1923, with their christian names and surnames, addresses and descriptions, with full particulars of their claims, a statement of the securities, if any, held by them and the nature thereof, and in default thereof they may be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the Winding-Up proceedings herein and the Liquidators may make distribution without regard to their claims, but no claim shall be excluded if the Master on application being made shall otherwise order.

Creditors and Shareholders are entitled to be represented at the said meetings by proxy.

Forms for proof of claims and proxies can be secured from any branch office of the Home Bank of Canada, or from the postmasters, where Branch offices are closed.

DATED this 10th day of October, 1923.

CHARLES GARROW,  
Master.  
Ludwig & Ballantyne,  
Continental Life Building,  
Toronto, Ontario.  
Solicitors for the Petitioners.







## TO MAKE PAPER PULP FROM STRAW

Plans to give Western Canada an entirely new industry that may ultimately add many millions a year to the income of the citizens of the prairies have proceeded to a stage that before next year's crop is harvested a mill to manufacture pulp from straw will be in full operation in the west, says the Montreal Financial Post. Only unforeseen difficulties will stand in the way of development.

The preliminary investigations of Sir Frederick Becker, who has been looking into the possibilities of establishing the industry in the west, proved fully satisfactory and now M. Dolfus, managing director of Devains Process, Limited, of England and France, is in Canada arranging for the construction of a mill. This mill will have an initial daily capacity of 50 tons of pulp, which will require 150 tons of straw; a capacity which will be enlarged before 1926. It is likely, to 100 tons a day, and more if the first mill proves satisfactory.

It will cost between \$1,000,000 and \$1,250,000 to put up the first unit of the mill. This includes machinery and plant only. Numerous offers have been received from western interests of free land sites. Cost of raising the capital will also have to be added. This will bring the total cost to about 85 per cent less, it is stated, than the cost of constructing a wood pulp mill.

The money required will be raised in Canada. This will be in line with the policy of the company to finance its various projects with local capital. The company has obtained local capital for its straw pulp mills in England, France, Belgium, Italy and Spain, and it has also established a mill in Java. There are now twelve operating plants and five under construction in the international chain established by Devains Process, Limited, of which Sir Frederick Becker, wealthy English paper operator who

has extensive interests in Canada, is president, and Mr. Dolfus, managing director.

Speaking to the Financial Post, Mr. Dolfus stated that about two tons of straw can be had from each acre of land raising grain. It does not require much figuring, therefore, to indicate that if, eventually, only 10 per cent of the straw in Western Canada that is not burned or otherwise destroyed, were used for the manufacture of paper, that more than \$120,000,000 annually would be added to the revenue of the west.

Mrs. Penman returned from Calgary the early part of the week, where she had been visiting with her daughter, Miss Annie.

## THE THREE HILLS

In response to the suggestion of the Capital the Prohibitionists have arranged for a meeting Friday night at the Lyric Theatre. This meeting will be Dry, so it will be necessary for those who wish to demonstrate that we have no prohibition, to get a drink before or after. You know where, we don't, as we do not drink.

A poster has been circulated showing the bootlegger and the prohibitionist going together to the November 6 poll. We surmised that the bootlegger had sent it out, but a prohibitionist states very definitely that this is not the case. On second thought it would appear that those interested would not wish the association to be too evident.

If the people demanded a return of the bar any open connected with drink would be eviled and could be attacked. Behind the system called prohibition are hidden evils which it is unsafe to attack.

If the women knew as much about the evil which shelters behind the prohibition that does not prohibit as does the average man, very many more would be encouraged to get up and speak their real minds.

## TWO YEARS FOR McLACHLAN

HALIFAX, Oct. 31.—Two years in Dorchester penitentiary was the sentence pronounced this morning on James B. McLachlan, former secretary of the United Mine Workers, District 36, convicted in the supreme court on a charge of seditious libel.

## Cause of Trouble

HALIFAX, Oct. 31.—James B. McLachlan, while secretary of District 36, United Mine Workers and during the coal and steel strike in Cape Breton last July and August was arrested on orders of the attorney-general's department on a charge of spreading false reports and his colleague, Daniel Livingstone, president of the organization, was also arrested charged jointly with McLachlan with conspiracy.

The charges arose out of a letter circulated among the locals of the union and a copy of which was sent to the head of the British Empire Steel corporation at Sydney, the letter setting forth alleged atrocities committed by the provincial police in carrying out their duties in Sydney and encouraging the strikers. After considerable legal action had been taken by the two labor leaders was arranged and McLachlan was tried at the fall sittings of the supreme court, which found him guilty of seditious libel in connection with the letter. Livingstone's case has not yet come to trial, and he is at liberty on bail.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce at Trail, British Columbia, was authorized to redeem all notes of the Home Bank of Canada presented before November 1st, at face value with interest at 5 per cent, thereafter at face value only.

Towns in the Crow's Nest Pass are considering taking up a subscription to pay Calgary's membership fee in the Southern Alberta and Southeastern British Columbia Tourist Association.



## LIQUOR REFERENDUM

## NOTICE TO VOTERS

Instructions to Voters as to Method of Marking of the Preferential Ballot to be used in the Liquor Referendum in Alberta on Monday, November 5, 1923.

Issued Under the Authority of the Government of Alberta.

## THE BALLOT

## (a) Prohibition---

Meaning thereby, a continuance and development of the present Liquor Legislation; that is, meaning the Abolition of the Sale of all Liquors excepting for strictly Medicinal, Sacramental, Manufacturing and Scientific Purposes.

## (b) Licensed Sale of Beer---

Meaning thereby, the Sale of Beer in Licensed Hotels and other Premises, as provided in the proposed Temperance Act.

## (c) Government Sale of Beer---

Meaning thereby, the Sale of Beer by or through Government Vendors for consumption in Private Residences under Government Control and Regulation—other Liquors to be sold through Doctor's Prescription for Medicinal Purposes.

## (d) Government Sale of All Liquor---

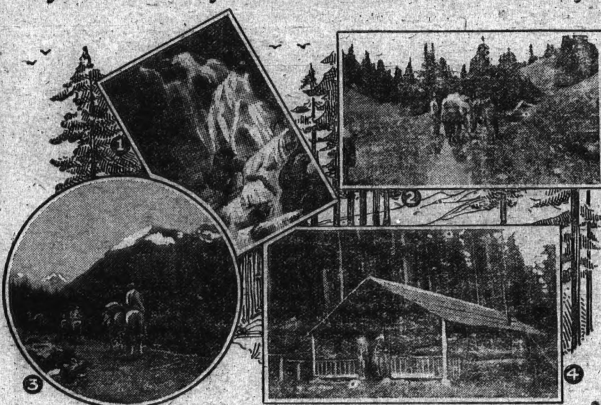
Meaning thereby, the Sale of all Liquors by or through Government Vendors, Beer to be consumed on Licensed Premises and in Private Residences. Wines and Spirits to be purchased in limited quantities under permit issued by the Government, under Government Control and Regulation.

## INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

The Voter MUST NOT use the X mark. He should mark the figure 1 opposite the question he wishes to become law. He should then mark the figure 2 opposite the question he would select as second choice, the figure 3 opposite his third choice, the figure 4 opposite his fourth choice. He must make no other mark on the ballot. The voter may "plump" for one question alone, using the figure 1, without spoiling his ballot, or he may vote for only two or only three choices.

Voters are urged, however, to vote the full extent of their four choices. There is always the possibility that the question of his first choice will not carry. In that case he should have a second choice, and a third choice and a fourth choice. Only by marking the full number of choices does the voter obtain the full benefit of the preferential ballot, and the government obtain a complete expression of the opinion of the people.

## By Strawberry Flats and the Silver Daisy



1—Falls about 5 miles from Hope

2—The Summit

3—Delaney Camp

The little village of Hope, situated on the Fraser River about one hundred miles from the coast, is the starting point for all mountaineers wishing to reach the interior of British Columbia by the trail route. To a scattered village of about two hundred inhabitants but possessing both an abundance of natural beauty and a truly romantic past. The village is flanked on one side by the noble Fraser river, while from the other side one looks up three wide draws in the mountain ranges. The one to the left is the beautiful Coquihalla valley through which the turbulent Coquihalla river cascades from a pass unnamed for rugged grandeur. Through this pass too, under impenetrable snow sheds and tunnels the Kettle Valley Railway goes to Princeton and the interior. In the centre is an opening for the Nicola river, to the right is the Silver Creek draw and beyond it the snow-capped peaks of the Cascade range.

The mountain trail over the Hope Pass is the old one known as the Dewdney which was surveyed and partly built for twenty-five miles out of Hope, by English Sappers in 1881. It winds up the Coquihalla River for a short distance, then branches off with the Nicola, a tributary of the former river. The way lies through Sylvan glades, past rushing waterfalls and over rustic bridges, the old dry "tribbling" of which is as firm as the day when it was laid.

The first feeding ground for horses is at 12 Mile Lake—otherwise known as Diva Lake at an altitude of 2300 feet. This lake is the head waters of the Nicola river. Here there is a beautiful hay meadow owned by a trapper and prospector who is patiently awaiting the day when the transcontinental road will give him a means of transporting his wealth, in the shape of hay, to outside points.

At 22 Mile there is another beautiful camping spot. Here there is a large cabin situated in the forest's heart on the very banks of the Skagit river. The owner of it carries on prospecting and mining operations in the vicinity. He appropriately calls his cabin "Delaney Camp" and his mine "The Silver Daisy."

From here on for many miles the scenery becomes more wonderful. If that were possible, but at the same time more wild and rugged. The Pass, a narrow hallway bounded by cliffs thousands of feet high, is a sight of never-ending marvel. At one spot, known as Skagit bluffs, the trail (a bare 18 inches wide) winds around the

shoulder of a cliff which towers above and drops away a sheer one thousand feet to the bed of the river below. Then the trail once more drops down to the next level, landing grounds at Cayuse Flats which has a detour spot three miles farther on—Cedar Flats. Beyond Cedar Flats lies a long strip of heavy cedar timber, a true "forest primeval." Strawberry Flats, a pleasant open field on the Skagit river at a height of 3700 feet is the last stopping place before the actual ascent to the summit begins. Here, in spite of the high altitude, wild strawberries grow in abundance.

In the next 2300 feet of the perpendicular (coursed) one is led to the summit by a series of switchbacks zigzagging up the face of the mountain. The river, which at the foot appeared a torrent, is here a tiny stream, a mere trickle over the stones. Below, the ever-lasting hills unroll themselves for a hundred miles of valley and range.

When the summit itself is attained a sight never to be forgotten appears. A wide open meadow lies in an inverted bowl on the mountain top. Around its edge rise white cliffs scarcely distinguishable from the many snow banks. And everywhere, even beside the snow, grows a bewildering variety of wild flowers.

In the centre of the depression lies two lakes, the dividing waters, for from the one goes the Skagit river towards the sea and from the other flows the Whip Saw Creek towards the interior lakes.

As soon as the descent of the eastern slope is begun a great change is noticeable. The grade is easy and steady, the country becomes more open and is clear of the underbrush and ferns so characteristic of the western slope.

The last camp is twenty miles from Princeton but the last nine miles of that distance are covered by a good motor road, the beginning of the proposed Trans-provincial highway from Princeton to Hope.

About eight miles from Princeton is a wonderfully interesting spot where stratified rocks yielding excellent fossils remain are located on the side of the hill. Shortly after this the valley opens out before one. Princeton unfolded peacefully into a friendly circle of hills and its two rivers, the Skagitment and Tuleman, keeping guard over it. Beyond it rises a splendid view of rolling green foothills with more rugged mountains closer in, indicative of the districts most flourishing industries, ranching and mining.

## A BEAUTIFUL PICTURE

It is announced by the Family Herald and Weekly Star, of Montreal, that each subscriber, new and renewal who acts quickly, may obtain a beautiful picture of a wonderful woman whose life story reveals chapter after chapter of amazing heroism, extraordinary fortitude and almost miraculous achievements. The story of "The Wonderful Heroine" can also be obtained cost free by sending a post card to the Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal.

A letter appeared in the Liquor Traffic Plebiscite Forum columns of the Calgary Herald last week, signed by George Lindsay, Red Deer. Mr. Lindsay had no knowledge of the letter until he noticed it in print. He is a personal friend of Rev. H. H. Bingham, of Calgary, and had no connection with the criticism dealt out to that highly respected pastor. The Herald has been asked for an explanation.

Absolute prohibition of the immigration is the demand of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor. This represents the extreme view as to the need of exclusion of immigration and will have some backing in congress. The American Federation of Labor will make a campaign to have all workers from other countries kept out of the United States and will do it on the plea that there is need for the Americanization of the foreigners already there.

Cranbrook has amended its trade license by-law and in future bans in that town will pay a license fee of \$250 a year.

Charlie Graham and family left Coleman last week to take up residence in California. Charlie will be missed from the Coleman hockey team, on which he has starred for a number of years.

The local K. of P. will hold a whist drive and social in the hall on the night of Friday, November 9th. Prizes will be awarded the best lady and gent and consolation. A large fruit cake will also be drawn for. Keep this date open.

## What's the Matter With Kansas

Kansas holds the record for longevity in the United States. It has the most home owners per capita. It contributed the best men physically to the draft. What's the secret? Forty years of prohibition—Cooper's Weekly.

## THE DAY TO WORK

I hate to work on Monday. The reason is quite plain: It's just because it's hard to take the week's work up again.

Then Tuesday one is weary. With Monday's tiresome work; I hate it, but it's not because I am inclined to shirk.

And Wednesday that I dread I'm driven near to death; I hate it to the very name Just takes away my breath.

I hate to rise on Thursday I dread it's dry routine; By Friday and through Saturday I'm just a mere machine.

But Sunday, that's the day Without a single flaw; I'd love to work all day; but then, It is against the law.

The masquerade dance given by the Coleman Pythian Sisters on Friday night last was very largely attended and a real success in every particular. Stokes' orchestra furnished the music. Jack Rushton acted as floor manager and kept 'er humming all the time. Prizes were awarded as follows: Best Representative Lady—Miss Nina Fyfe as "Court Costume"; Best Dressed Lady—Mrs. Thomas as a "Russian Princess"; Best Comic—Miss May Cox as "A Witch"; Best Dressed Gentleman—Billy Polk as a "Hindu Prince"; Best Representative Gent—Curly Mike as "An Indian"; Best Comic—Jack Rushton as an "Italian Organ Grinder."

## THE MIRACULOUS CHRISTMAS GIFT

It's a very nice thing to make a gift that will please all the members of the family. A box of candy will do that or a crate of fruit. But usually some one in that family gets the lion's share. That is not possible when the gift is a subscription to "The Youth's Companion." It is like that fabulous pitcher of milk of the Greeks; though everyone drank deep the pitcher remained full. Everyone has a lion's share in the good things of the Companion; everyone sips his own cream, yet there is the very choicest of cream left for the next corner. What better Christmas present can you make than a periodical with such fabulous power of dividing its pleasure among a dozen and yet keeping all intact.

The 52 issues of 1924 will be crowded with serial stories, short stories, editorials, poetry, facts and fun. Subscribe now and receive:

1. The Youth's Companion—52 issues in 1924.

2. All the remaining issues of 1923 for 1924. All for \$2.50.

3. Or include McCall's Magazine, the monthly authority on fashions. Both publications cost \$2.00.

THE YOUTH'S COMPANION Commonwealth Ave. & St. Paul St., Boston, Mass. New Subscription received at this Office.

Miss Annie Andel spent the week in Lehigh, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Peacock.

Messrs. McMurdo and Tayson were accompanied here on Monday evening by Mrs. McMurdo and Mrs. Tayson—not that the boys needed any special care, though!

Dr. J. H. Riddell, principal of Wesley College, Winnipeg, was exonerated from the charges of "disobedience to discipline of the Methodist church" in a report issued by the special church court on Wednesday. The charges were instituted by Prof. W. G. Smith, former vice-principal of the college.

The story that two ships in which the Home Bank was interested were engaged in rum-running may have been started just to show that the bank was doing everything in its power to make money so as to save the depositors and shareholders.



# GREETINGS

THE ENTERPRISE HAS JUST OPENED THE 1923 SERIES OF

## CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR GREETING CARDS

WE REPRESENT THE LARGEST AND BEST HOUSES IN CANADA.  
CALL AND SEE SAMPLES EARLY.

WANTED—Young Lady to Canvas the district—Michel to Pincher Creek—for Greeting Cards. Attractive commission or salary to the right party.

### LARGER SUBSCRIPTIONS TO NEW DOMINION LOAN

The reported subscription of \$1,000,000 or over came from many well known financial institutions. They are:

Sun Life Insurance Co.	\$10,000,000
Metropolitan Life, N.Y.	\$5,000,000
Bank of Montreal	\$5,000,000
Bank of Commerce	\$5,000,000
Prudential Life, N.Y.	\$2,500,000
Travelers Ins. Co., Conn.	\$2,500,000
Bank of Nova Scotia	\$2,500,000
Can. Pac. Railway	\$2,000,000
Canada Life Ass. Co.	\$2,000,000
Mutual Life of Canada	\$2,000,000
Dominion Bank	\$1,750,000
Bank of Nova Scotia	\$2,000,000
Mon. City and Dis. Bank	\$1,250,000
Imperial Life Ass. Co.	\$1,250,000
National Trust Co.	\$1,250,000
Bank of Toronto	\$1,000,000
T. Eaton Co.	\$1,000,000
Eastern Trust Co.	\$1,000,000
London Life Co.	\$1,000,000
Dominion Textile Co.	\$1,000,000
Montreal Cottons, Ltd.	\$1,000,000
Royal Trust Co.	\$1,000,000
Standard Bank	\$1,000,000

Total \$54,000,000

### GOOD ROADS

#### Government to be Asked to Apply Taxes to Their Improvement.

When the Alberta legislature meets this winter they will be lobbied by a committee of Southern Alberta good roads enthusiasts who will ask that all revenue derived from auto licenses and tax on gas be applied on road building. This means that if the request is met, a million dollars annually from these sources will be made available for road improvements throughout the province. For a quarter million loan of \$4,000,000 can be floated and redeemed, and for the whole million a loan of \$10,000,000 can be negotiated and carried. Such policy would enable the government to take advantage of the federal good roads aid grant. J. Fred Spalding, of Fernie, commissioner for the Southern Alberta and Eastern British Columbia Tourist Association, claims Mr. Spalding is authority for the foregoing announcements regarding the plans of the association.

Mr. Spalding claims that the \$10,000,000 plus the 40 per cent federal grant, would build all of the main highways in the province and place them on a par with any in the mid-western part of the continent. He says every town holding membership in the tour association will have representation on the Edmonton deputations, which will enable it to make a formidable appearance in the capital. The association is the largest of its kind in the west, comprising as it does practically all the towns and cities on the famous Circle Tour. Later it may be extended east over the Best Trail into Saskatchewan and south so as to include Great Falls and

Spokane and intermediate points. All of the funds received in membership fees from the various towns and cities are used for advertising purposes only, the overhead commissioner's salary being taken care of by funds otherwise raised through the enterprise of the commissioner and other officials of the association. In this the association, which had its nucleus in Lethbridge, being first agitated by Mr. A. G. Baalim, past president, stands unique. As to the plans for the coming season, Mr. Spalding states that they are looking for the volume of tourists to be doubled. Twenty thousand booklets, fully illustrated, will be circulated and in addition some 20,000 road maps. Efforts will be made to improve camp sites and to influence citizens of various towns to pay friendly calls on the tourists and in tactful ways point out the resources and opportunities for settlement in their neighborhood. Mr. Spalding estimates that a majority of the tourists nowadays are not only looking for pleasure, but also place for investment or the establishment of homes. Instances were cited where no less than a dozen prairie farms were sold, the deals being direct, traceable to tourists passing through the country. Completing a tour of the territory served by the association, Mr. Spalding says that everywhere there is growing interest being taken in the importance of the tourist traffic. Cranbrook, Fernie, Natal, Coleman, Blainmore, Elbow, Crowsnest, Lethbridge, Taber, Bow Island, Medicine Hat, Banff, Calgary, High River, Okotoks, Claresholm and other live points are already in the fore. Others are expected to join later. The headquarters of the association are at Fernie. Mr. Spalding is the only paid official and does all the work in the office. Thousands of articles are answered monthly, and other thousands of booklets are forwarded to tourist bodies throughout Canada and the States. In addition he contributes articles to papers, magazines, addresses numerous meetings and gatherings and otherwise promotes the interests of the association.

Dr. Charles G. Pease, president of the Non-Smokers' Protective League, says that the war against the use of tobacco is now on earnest. He says:

"We are going to do to tobacco what we did to the Anti-Saloon League and to drink."

Wanted—A writer of articles who can fathom the thoughts and wishes of the readers of this sheet; one who needs not the knowledge of public matters, or ever questions any subject, except according to the opinions of all mankind. Some one who can read off a column of highly displayed material on any important topic, without saying anything. Only such person that can do this perfectly need apply. References and experience will not be required. Upon applying you may be asked as to your capabilities of determining the hints and purposes of correspondents, and be

responsible for their views. You will be obliged to listen to the story of the would-be contributor, being careful in making any reply. When you do reply, say absolutely nothing.

"Why did you leave your old boarding house?"

"Well, you see, their cow died and we had nothing but beef, beef, beef. Then their pig died and we had nothing but pork, pork, pork. Last week the landlady's grandfather died."

Charles Ray, a farmer of the Brooks district, was killed on Friday last when a Ford car in which he was driving to town turned turtle.

### COWLEY HAPPENINGS

Mr. Carney, of Bellevue, was a recent visitor to town.

Miss Jerry Frey and Miss Katherine Cameron, of Porcupine Hills, were visitors to Cowley on Saturday.

It was decided at the last meeting of the Women's Institute to hold the bazaar in Thistler's hall on Saturday, December 1st.

Suspicion pointed that a lively time would take place in town on Halloween.

Miss Nellie McWilliams is spending a few days at her home on account of the illness of her mother.

Considerable work has recently been done on the new skating rink. At present the ice on the lake west of town is in good shape for skating, and the local folk are taking advantage of it.

Danny McDonald, a Nova Scotia boy, knocked out Gus Williams, of Fernie, in twenty-five seconds of a scheduled ten-round bout at Fernie on Thursday night last. Danny boxed to a draw with Dick Mar hall at Michel a few weeks ago. Out of it, Dick was only giving him a little training.

Fred Henson relinquished his connection with P. Burns' branch meat market at Bellevue yesterday and leaves shortly for Cadomin, where he assumes charge of a new meat market for the coal company. General regret is felt at Bellevue over the departure of Mr. and Mrs. Henson, who for many years have resided at Bellevue and made many friends. Mr. Henson's successor is to arrive with his family from Vancouver this week end.

### A NEW INVENTION

A. F. Haddad, of the Koolenay Trading Company of Cranbrook, and the Golden Lion Trading Company, of Fernie, has just received information from the Patent Office at Ottawa that his signal device for motor cars has been accepted and recorded. The idea of Mr. Haddad's invention is to eliminate any possible misconstruction being placed on a motorist's signals when about to make a turning or a stop. By merely touching a button the direction in which the driver of a car wishes to turn is at once indicated by an arm shooting out at right angles to the car, pointing out the turning it is about to take or registering a stop as the case may be. Mr. Haddad has secured patents on his invention in the United States and Canada and has also received many letters testifying to the utility of the device. In all probability the inventor will enter into the manufacture of his signalling device at an early date. Mr. Haddad is deserving of success inasmuch as he has spent months in studying out the details of his invention and in perfecting it to points of applying for patents thereon.—Cranbrook Courier.

While many of the younger folks took occasion to enjoy themselves right royally in harmless tricks last night, some of the larger boys, who should know better, took pleasure in creating wanton and un-called-for disturbances and destruction of property. While it may at the moment appear clever to the boys, in the majority of cases they will have cause to reflect upon the thoughtless actions with regret.

### MINISTER STRIKES

AT "DRY" LAW

TORONTO, Oct. 29.—Emphatic condemnation of attempts to enforce prohibition laws in Canada and the United States in the absence of an expression of public opinion in favor of enforcement of such measures was voiced by Rev. T. C. Brown, in addressing the 48th Highlanders at the special church service in New St. Andrew's church yesterday. The speaker made pungent allusion to the manner in which officers of the law are attempting to deal with suspected violation thereof, saying that here in Canada the life of a citizen was not safe, as he might be held up on the highway by constables on mere suspicion. He cited the recent case of the killing of John Gogo in Toronto to support his assertion that the value of human life was not given proper consideration.

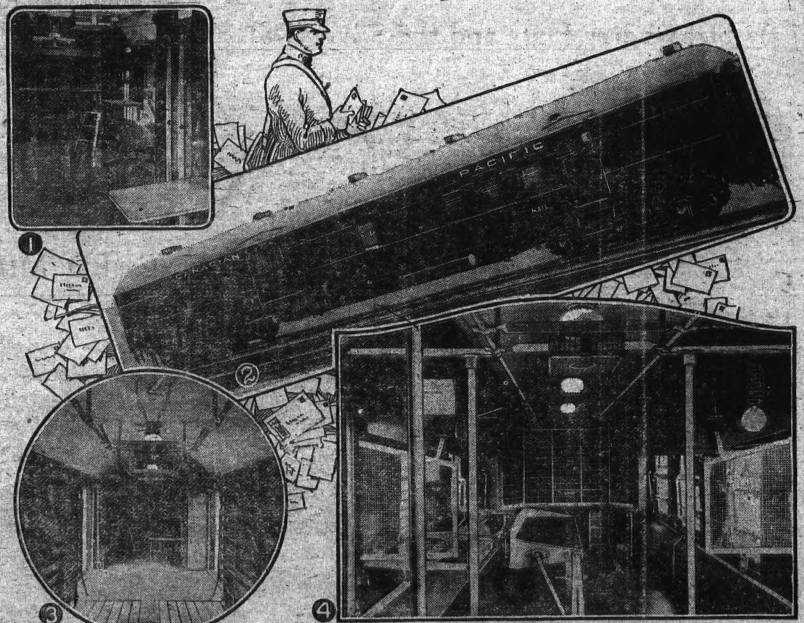
### Here's An Appendix

WINDSOR, Oct. 29.—Mrs. Ellen Brooks, 37, fashionably attired, was arrested at the market here on Saturday by a policeman who said he saw her peddling moonshine to farmers and others at 60 cents a drink. When searched at headquarters hot water bottles half filled with strong drink were found concealed in the woman's clothing.

Mr. G. Evans left here last night for Rochester to consult specialists.

In order to better the position of depositors in the Home Bank of Canada, it is proposed to request Premier Ferguson and the Ontario legislature to have the province of Ontario assist the 30,000 Ontario depositors to the extent of waiving its priority claims on behalf of its deposits of \$1,250,000 in the bank.

## HIS MAJESTY'S MAILS ON CANADIAN PACIFIC



1.—A comfortable corner of the baggage car.

2.—Exterior of one of the new Canadian Pacific Mail and Baggage Cars.

Almost every day we rely upon His Majesty's Postal service for the delivery at certain hours of letters and parcels which are of value and which would lose their value were they delivered tardily. Seldom have we cause to complain of the service rendered in exchange for our few cents and we have come to expect the efficient regularity of that service regardless of the natural or economic disturbances which affect other services. The letter was stamped and placed in the postal box. It must be delivered, and with dispatch, rain or shine.

Due to the increasing use of His Majesty's Mails, the Canadian Pacific Railway has found it necessary to add to its rolling stock twelve new Mail and Baggage coaches. These, being up-to-date in every respect, provide every facility for the handling of the mail, and a number of conveniences for the clerks which the older type of cars could not boast of. The "All Steel" cars are some of the finest used by Postal authorities in the world, and the Company is to be congratulated, in that providing every facility for the quick handling of postal matter, it has kept an eye to the comfort of the clerks.

The forward end of the travelling Post Office, for such it is, is used mainly for storage purposes. On one side, movable iron stanchions separate the bags destined for the various towns en route, and on the other is the gas stove, for cooking purposes, for water-tank, inventory, wash basin, and clothes cupboard. Innovations which are greatly commended by the clerks. The rear end of the mail compartment is the business end. A long reversible table, running lengthwise, allows the clerk to face either side of the car in order to sort his parcels into the bags which are supported by folding racks, and into the boxes conveniently arranged above the bags for the accommodation of newspapers, and which can be quickly emptied by the simple expedient of raising the front. At the rear end is a table, the full

width of the car, and behind this are the hundreds of pigeon holes into which the clerk must distribute the letters for the various towns, quickly, almost automatically. As his feet as he stands at his table, the clerk has a tray into which the letters poured when the train is at a station, drop. These letters he stamps and distributes into those put on the train at the terminal. Cord with which to tie the letters into bundles is conveniently at hand, and if some of the bundles contain registered mail they are placed into the pigeon holes at one side, over which a wire grating is fitted and locked. Everything is scrupulously clean.

The baggage and express end of the coaches is also the last word in car construction. As with the mail section, the doors open in the centre of the compartment, one half of which has a solid floor, the other half being fitted with fish racks. In addition to the conveniences afforded the mail clerks, the baggage men have a folding table which fits tightly against the wall when not in use, and which may be utilized as a dining table and—but not there is too much business to talk of cars.

The twelve new cars were designed by C. H. Temple, Chief of Motive Power and Rolling Stock, Canadian Pacific Railway, and were constructed by the Canada Car and Foundry Company, Ltd., Montreal. They are designed to carry 30 tons of express matter and 10 tons of mail, a total of 40 tons compared with 30 tons, the capacity of the old type of coach. The Company has adhered to the six wheel truck, but heavier journals have been provided, 5½ by 10 in place of the 5 by 9 inches. Another feature of the new coaches is the diaphragm ends. This eliminates the danger of people "riding blind".

Until more are constructed, the new coaches will operate between Montreal and Toronto, Montreal and Sault Ste. Marie, Toronto and St. John, N.B., and Winnipeg, and Edmonton on Canadian Pacific lines.



## Wisdom Of Planting A Shelter Belt Is Unfolded By A Western Farmer

One of the most indefatigable and successful tree-planters in Western Canada is John Hupka, of Winnipeg, Alberta. Mr. Hupka is first of all a farmer and he planted trees to make his farm a greater producer of crops, as well as a more beautiful place upon which to live. But let Mr. Hupka himself tell the story.

"There is no doubt that if farmers could plan their faith to that place of ground which they are cultivating for production of crops, and instead of having only a feverish desire to find funds for immediate financial returns, would try to work their lands with a view for permanency, having in their

Caragana, the rows and trees four feet apart. Then twenty-four feet apart left for cultivation while trees are small, and again two rows of trees same variety but in reversed order. After the trees grow taller, the space between will fill out with Russian Thistle, which if left will act as a much preventing the drying of the soil, and making cultivation unnecessary. Thus, the only thing left is to keep the outside cultivated to prevent weeds and grass from robbing the moisture. If rightly planned this may be easily accomplished with implements like harrows, cultivators or discs running over the ground at



John Hupka's Way of Transforming the Prairie

vision an "Ideal Home" as their ultimate goal, their love in that direction would give them the required perseverance to accomplish it.

"First of all let it be understood that the climate in this part of Southern Alberta, is about as dry as any on the Canadian prairie, and therefore, my experience will apply only to such dry areas.

"The land should be quite level, so that when the snow is melting in spring the water may soak into the ground without running off. Shelter belts should be placed to stop the force of the prevailing winds. In our locality it is the south wind which causes the snow to drift more than any other, therefore, in laying out my shelter belt I planted the trees from east to west. The shelter belt is six rows wide, not too wide to act as a solid obstruction to the wind in which case the snow would drift up and break down the trees, but narrow enough to permit the snow to blow through and drift up on the north side which is used as our garden and orchard. In this way the snow that drifts through is put to excellent use the following year as additional moisture. The second consideration is the preparation of the soil before planting. The land must be well summer-fallowed for at least two years and not in any case prairie sod.

The strip of ground should be well plowed in May, the year previous to planting, from ten inches to twelve inches deep, and if it is impossible on account of dryness of the soil, it should be plowed to such a depth as is possible to do good work, and plowed deeper as soon as the ground is in good condition. After the ground is plowed, it should be kept clean by cultivating until planting time.

"Before planting trees the moisture should be at least four feet deep, otherwise it is better to defer planting for another year. If the location is chosen close to the south fence the first row should be planted at least 30 feet away from it, and the strip of land between the fence and trees should be kept clean as summer-fallow, so as to stop the trees from getting necessary moisture to the trees in dry season. The bare strip on the north side doesn't need to be that wide the first few years, therefore, the garden may be planted only sixteen feet from the last row, but after the trees are larger and they need more moisture, that strip should be widened.

"The best trees which stand the most dry weather, and are the most immune from insect pests, are Caragana and Manitoba Maple. These two varieties are giving the best satisfaction, and the average of annual growth is better than of any other tree under the same conditions. My plantation is only ten years old and the average height is eighteen feet. My soil is heavy clay of chocolate color.

"Although, as I mentioned before, my shelter belt consists of six rows of trees, I would not advise to plant more than four rows in the following order: First row, Caragana; second row, Manitoba Maple, alternating with

sparc moments whilst going or coming from the fields, thereby no time being lost.

"Now what about the benefit of such belts? There are many, but I shall only refer to those which probably will appeal to most readers. As I mentioned before, the north side is the ideal ground for vegetable gardens and we have plenty of vegetables every year, no matter whether it rains or not. The same applies to the orchard, although my orchard is sheltered from three sides, viz: South, west and east. It was planted in Spring of 1915, but what joy. We had bushels of plums, wild and cultivated, and plenty of other fruit like cranberries, currants, raspberries and cherries, and I believe we soon will have some standard apples.

"I have told you about the business end of my shelter belt," says John Hupka. "But what about the beauty and pleasure of it? In the orchard in spring? The wealth of plum and apple blossom! I feel as if transported to dreamland, all sorrows and cares forgotten through the music of our feathered songsters and buzzing bees. Talk about the baldheaded prairie. Of course it was, but didn't we come here to adopt it, to improve it, and make it at our homes?"

### New Play Staged

By German Theatre

Brother of Late Czar Wrote "The King of the Jews"

In the German literary review there is a short account of the production recently in Royal by the German Theatrical Association there of a religious play, entitled "The King of the Jews." The play is described as being not very valuable as a drama, but of considerable theatrical merit.

The scene is laid in Jerusalem at the time of Christ's entry into the city, and the action concludes with the Easter Resurrection. The work is a translation from the Russian, the author being designated only by the initials "K. R." but it soon became known that these initials conceal the identity of the ex-Grand Duke Constantine Constantinovich, a brother of the late Tsar, who has already attained repute as an author.

The success of the play, it is reported, was greatly enhanced by the accompanying music of Glasounoff, the prelude to the various scenes being particularly harmonious and appropriate.

### Beer in Britain

The total number of bulk barrels of beer brewed during the year ended March 31 was 22,384,329 in England and Wales, 1,094,529 in Scotland, 2,684,286 in Ireland, making a total of 26,163,663. These figures were given officially in answer to a question in Parliamentary papers.

### Mine Operators Organize

Operators of all mines in the prairie country of the Red Deer River engaged in the production of domestic fuel, have organized under the name of the Northern Alberta Coal Operators' Association.

### Believes Trans-Polar Flight Is Feasible

Stefansson Says Northern Area Air Force Excellent Flying Conditions

The British Air Ministry has been watching with keen interest Harold Gatty's plans for crossing the North Pole in an airplane. Col. Edwards, the deputy director of air transport, told the Morning Post that the ministers regarded the proposed flight which has now been abandoned as a most extraordinary sporting effort involving great risks inasmuch as the 2,000 miles route planned by the explorer is absolutely without landing facilities. Col. Edwards added that Vilhjalmur Stefansson, who is now in England is convinced that a trans-polar flight is an entirely feasible way of reaching the western side of America. He continued, thereby shortening the journey by about three thousand miles. Stefansson said the popular conception of the north polar regions as an uninviting area of perpetual cold was entirely erroneous and that it affords excellent flying conditions.

### Sweden Plans To Electrify Railway

Coast to Coast Line Will Cost Over Twelve Millions

The first coast to coast railroad electrification in the world, extending from Stockholm, on the Baltic Sea, to Gothenburg, on the North Sea, is heralded in the official report just made to the Swedish Government by the State Railways Administration that it be empowered to begin immediately the expenditure of the \$3,000,000 crowns which have already been appropriated toward this project.

This is an important step in the great movement which has already resulted in the electrification of hundreds of leading industrial establishments, and at least 50 per cent. of all the farming areas in Sweden.

The trunk line from Stockholm to Gothenburg, which carries heavy traffic both of freight and passengers, is nearly 300 miles in length. The work of electrification just made carried through within two years, says the Railway Administration, and if it is begun immediately the total cost will be about 47,000,000 crowns, or about \$12,500,000.

### Sticking to It

He had just returned from a convivial evening with some friends, to be met at the door by his wife.

"Where have you been?" she demanded.

"I've been at the Smiths' party," my dear," he replied, beaming at her.

"You have not."

"I say I have not," she insisted; "I've been there myself, so I know you were not there."

"Well, anyhow," he answered, in resigned tones, "it's the tale I've made up, and I'm going to stick to it."

### Wins Valuable Scholarship

British Research Prize Is Won By Alberta Student

Julius Ferdinand Lehmann, B.Sc., M.Sc., University of Alberta, son of Prof. Lehmann of that institution, has received word from England of the awarding to him of a valuable scholarship for scientific research work.

The scholarship was founded out of proceeds of the 1881 London exhibition and several are awarded each year throughout the empire, including three awards to Canadian students. They are given for scientific research work in any branch of science, and are based on the decision of a committee sitting in London, England.

Mr. Lehmann's work was on "High Frequency Sound Vibrations," and he states that his research was conducted under the direction of Dr. R. W. Boyle, of the University of Alberta.

### U.S. and Britain

Must Join Hands to Save the World From Disaster

Responding to the toast "The British Empire and the United States," at the annual dinner of the Rhodes Scholarship Trust at Oxford, the Prime Minister, Mr. H. H. Stanley, Baldwin, emphasized the need of Great Britain and the United States joining hands where justice called them throughout the world.

"We see the seventeen centuries old civilization of Western Europe cracking today," he said, "and the whole world, consciously or unconsciously, is looking for salvation to the British Empire and the United States."

"It is there building up to do in the world," continued the Premier, "it is we in the long run who will have to do it and the men whose task that will be will need the courage of a Pitt and the faith of a Lincoln," he said.

### Invents Automatic Cannon

Rapid Firing Gun Can Be Used in Airplane

Invention of a rapid firing automatic cannon, capable of firing one and one-quarter pound shells at the rate of 120 a minute, has been perfected by John M. Browning, of Ogden, noted inventor of firearms. It is announced by his brother, J. Edward Browning. The cannon, designed for use in airplanes, as well as on land or sea, according to Edward Browning, has a barrel which measures in diameter only one and one-half inches. It weighs 160 pounds when mounted on a tripod and can be fired from any position without interference with the accuracy of the aim, he said. The range is seven miles.

One of the latest uses of airplanes is locating and photographing many unknown Alaskan lakes.

Shakes discard the outer lenses of their eyes when they cast off their skins.

## Utilization Of Flax Straw May Prove Of Very Great Importance To Western Canada

The uses to which flax straw may be put, and to which it is an increasing asset, is being put, are commented on by the New York Times. The investigations that have been conducted in Winnipeg have attracted, apparently considerable attention. The New York Times says:

"Canada's enormous quantity of straw is now being utilized in numerous remunerative ways. For many years the problem of how to utilize the waste of straw from the western flax oil crop has been the subject of investigation and study. Realizing the potential value of this enormous waste, the Canadian Pacific Railway made a careful investigation of its utilization and has succeeded in putting it to productive use.

The straw was known to have a certain value for its fibre, being similar in this respect, though of inferior grade, to the straw cultivated for the production of flax fibre, but after leaving the threshing machine the flax straw was destroyed, even for production of commercial tow, owing to the manner in which the straw was broken up in the threshing operation. In consequence of this difficulty, early investigations were along the lines of utilizing the waste straw as a pulping material for the manufacture of paper. The investigations conducted in this connection were entirely successful, and the resulting product was an exceptionally high grade of paper suitable for high-class writing paper and similar purposes. This research was carried to a semi-commercial scale, but the cost of production of the pulp was too high for practical purposes.

"Further investigations have been inaugurated by the Honorary Council for Scientific and Industrial Research in efforts to produce pulp from which a cheap grade of newspaper could be manufactured. These results have not so far been disclosed.

"Today the utilization of these vast quantities of waste straw is nearer to accomplishment than ever before," states the Canadian Pacific Railway. "Modern Canadian-invented and perfected machinery has made possible the recovery of the flax straw without destruction of the straw through a new form of threshing machine. This machine removed the old obstacle, the utilization of the fibre content of the straw and sets free and available an enormous new supply of raw material for the manufacture of the lower grade of linen products, which is certain to meet an important industrial development in Western Canada in the not distant future.

"Meantime a successful effort has been made in Manitoba near Winnipeg in the use of this waste flax straw by the production of an insulating material which has been proved to be an efficient non-conductor of heat and cold, and is being used in western construction work as lining between the walls and under the roofs, to keep out the cold, and appears to have demonstrated effectively its success in these relations. It has been used in public buildings as well as in industrial plants—ice, cold storage and others—and is becoming general in its use in private dwellings.

"While this is only a beginning, it has created a situation more satisfactory for the future marketing of flax straw, and now its use for low purposes for upholstering has developed a desire on the part of industries south of the international boundary to purchase the straw and a large tonnage contract was entered into late in the past year, a low mill is to be erected in Manitoba to take care of this new market.

"This is an interesting western commercial development, befitting of mention as an example of the desire to utilize waste products. There has already realized that everything must be used commercially to bring about satisfactory financial returns, and continuous investigations into markets and costs of production that are proceeding along various lines will lead ultimately to a greater value being obtained from Canadian western raw materials than perhaps has hitherto been the case."—Free Press.

### Colony Gardens In Sweden

Industrial Workers Have Vegetables and Fruit to Sell

The regular weekend excursions of 7,000 industrial workers armed with garden tools is one of the unique signs of spring in the Swedish capital. Every one of these amateur gardeners has his own "colony lot" in the large co-operative garden colonies situated in what appears to be country, though actually within the city limits. Here he grows his own flowers and vegetables, and finds a retreat from the factories and city streets.

The 7,000 colonies are grouped into fifty different garden sections in the outskirts of the city, and the administrative work is in the hands of co-operative garden societies. The plots of ground worked by individuals vary in size from 1,500 to 5,500 square feet, and the rentals range from \$2.50 to \$15.00 for the season. Greens, vegetables, strawberries and various other garden products are raised, enough to supply the workers' own table and to yield him a small profit beside.

### Great Age Authenticated

Hungarian Woman, 125, Earns Living Giving Medical Advice

The latest extract for international old age honors is a Hungarian woman by the name of Antonia Fappi, whose age is authenticated at 125 years. She is reported to be in excellent health and very active.

In answer to inquiries as to her health, Antonia says she wore glasses until she was 95, but since then she has been able to see clearly without artificial aid. She has been a widow for 50 years, and earns a living by giving medical advice in her community.

### Manitoba Boys' and Girls' Club

The Boys' and Girls' Club movement in Manitoba began concurrently with the agricultural instruction grant being made available in 1914. Its development has been noteworthy, as there are now 235 central clubs, 1,500 branches and over 30,000 members. Last year 215 club fairs were held at which over 30,000 children exhibited.

### More Industrial Disputes

Industrial disputes caused a greater time loss in the month of May than in April. During May there were in existence at some time or other 34 disputes, involving 4,707 employees and a time loss of 65,133 working days, as compared with 22 strikes in April, involving 3,203 employees and a time loss of 34,553 working days.

### Fewer Sheep In New England

A flock of sheep is becoming a rare sight in a New England farm. In all New England, so great has been the decline in sheep raising, there are today, according to agricultural statistics, only six per cent. of the number of sheep kept in 1867.—Farmers' Sun.

### He Was A Strapping Man

"Say it with leather," runs the sign in one of our stores. The slogan aroused painful memories. That's what dad used to do when we were a boy.—Boston Transcript.

It is estimated more than half the people in the world live in Asia.

## NINE HUNDRED MILES OF GAME



(1) Typical of the bungalow built to accommodate three persons.  
(2) The "blue-mountain" bungalow of the Indians.  
(3) Not bad for a lake trout.

There still remains between Sudbury and the Manitoba boundary in Northern Ontario, a large tract of land with a nine hundred mile front in which the sportsman may still seek his prey in the virgin wilderness, and the vacationist find beautiful, healthy spots, unspoiled by advances of civilization. Black streams and large rivers from the northern hills flow by huge pine covered slopes, or drop in cataracts from rocky ledges to the quiet plains below from which the mountains, rising from the trees, afford exquisite panoramas for the chance visitor and shelter for the hunter and varied game.

For over thirty years the Canadian Pacific Railway has been running daily trains through this district, but there are only twelve points along its 880 miles of line with a population of

over two hundred people. Most of the little stations are but jumping off places for the sportsman who know the value of the country, and although there is every reason for further development there has been little or no accommodation for those who would enjoy the country from the standpoint of scenery or sport without suffering the discomforts attendant upon actual camp life. For this reason, the news that three Bungalow Camps are being built in suitable spots along the line of those operated by the Canadian Pacific Railway in the Rockies is being received with delight in all quarters. When these camps are opened about July first there will undoubtedly be a great influx of holiday makers of both sexes, the camps being in every way suitable to the needs of the women who, if they do not care for the more strenuous adventures of their

husbands and brothers, may pass the time swimming, canoeing, dancing, etc., in the "blue-fragrant breezes." The Bungalow Camps consist of a main building which serves as a dining and recreation hall and in which are the service departments, surrounded by a number of smaller bungalows designed to accommodate one, two or four persons. These are simply but comfortably equipped with the necessary comforts without the dispensable trimmings of the more expensive heavy overhead charges. The new camps are situated in choice locations on the French River, in the famous Nipigon district at the foot of Lake Helen and at Kenora, Lake of the Woods. Each site is handy to some of the finest fishing stands on the continent; black bass, red and speckled trout and muskellunge being chiefly caught.





**Blairmore Lodge, No. 68**, meets every Tuesday night at 8 p.m. in the Oddfellows hall. Officers for the ensuing term: N.G.—M. B. Huffman, V. G.—S. Dawson, Rec. Sec.—E. McEwen; Fin. Sec.—H. James; Treas.—J. Montalbetti.

**Crows' Nest Encampment No. 3**, meets on the second and fourth Wednesdays of the month in the I.O.O.F. hall at 8 p.m. Officers for ensuing term: W. Patterson, C.M.; James Crowder, S.W.; R. Oliver, R.S. and F.S.; Jos. Montalbetti, Treas.

**Crowview Rebekah Lodge, No. 68**, meets the first and third Thursdays of the month at 8 p.m. Officers: Sister Evans, N.G.; Sister Joyce, V.G.; Sister James, F.S.; Sister Hood, F.S.; Sister N. Evans, Treas.

**Bellevue Lodge No. 118**, meets every Monday night at 8 p.m. Officers: H. Peters, N.G.; F. Heale, V.G.; W. Goodwin, Sec. Treas.

**Armistice Encampment No. 17**, Bellevue, meets the first and third Wednesdays of the month. Officers: A. B. Carr, C.P.; Stephen Berry, H.P.; Harry Jepson, S.W.; Fred Padgett, J.W. E. Escott, treasurer; Charles W. Ray, Sec. Box 6.

**Ray of Hope Rebekah Lodge No. 67**, meets the first and third Wednesdays of the month. Officers: Sister Greenland, N.G.; Sister Beale, V.G.; Sister Blake, R.S.; Sister Christie, F.S.; Sister Goodwin, Treas.

Visitors of the Order are cordially invited to attend the above lodges.

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Bill Randall spent a few days in town with his former schoolmate this week, while enroute from Saskatchewan to his home in Creston.

Mrs. Fred Goulding and child arrived from Vancouver Island last week on a visit to her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. W. Harrison.

### MEETING OF HOCKEY CLUB

A general meeting of the Blairmore Hockey Club and friends was held at the arena on Sunday forenoon last.

The reason for the meeting being called for Sunday morning is given that the secretary, Mr. W. Bird, was obliged to be away from town during the week and that for a time Sundays only will be available.

The minutes of previous meeting were approved as read and several communications were disposed of.

The secretary-treasurer informed the meeting that the funds of the Club, totalling about \$480, were tied up in the Home Bank and that to purchase equipment necessary for the approaching season, more funds would be necessary.

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As far as is known at present this season's lineup will include Pruden, Turner, Goddard, Vojprava, McKay, Reddick, Ennis, Rennicks, Wheatley and Levasseur.

### MEETING OF CROWS' NEST PASS HOCKEY LEAGUE

The annual meeting of the Crows' Nest Pass Hockey League was held in Blairmore yesterday, attended by Dr. Lynn, R. B. Thompson and E. A. Welch, of Lethbridge; A. VanCott, Pincher Creek; Dr. J. A. Key and J. J. McIntyre, Bellevue; W. H. Chappell and L. L. Morgan, Blairmore, and W. S. Purvis, Coleman.

The meeting was presided over by the president, Mr. L. L. Morgan. The minutes of previous meeting were on motion approved as read.

It was hoped that this season's league would consist of five or six teams, but it was found that neither Taber nor Pincher Creek could enter the League this year, preferring to enter the Intermediates.

Fees set were \$20 for each of the four teams, five dollars of which to be retained by the League and \$15 to go to the A.A.H.A.

It was decided to affiliate with the A.A.H.A., and Mr. Morgan was delegated as representative of the Crows' Nest Pass League to the A.A.H.A. convention.

According to rule, players must all have registered by December 1st, and no transfers will be permissible after November 15th.

Colors will be same as last season. Messrs. E. A. Welch and W. H. Chappell were selected as schedule committee. The schedule will be published at a later date.

Election of officers resulted as follows:

President—E. W. Morgan, of Pincher Creek.

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As only four teams constitute the League, a double schedule will be played, winner of each half to play home and home games.

A vote of thanks was tendered the past president, Mr. L. L. Morgan, who during his term of office as president proved fully capable to the duties attending that office.

Agitation was revived for the appointment of a paid referee, but as some opposition was raised along economic lines, it was found impracticable.

For several seasons considerable dissatisfaction has been found with referees and time and time again the idea of a paid independent referee has suggested itself.

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### IF YOU WERE AN EDITOR

If you were editing a country newspaper and you wanted to please everybody, what would you write about? You, of course, realize that writing on politics and religion is skating on thin ice, lots of people do not care for alleged funny stuff, other bar philosophy; poetry seems to be distasteful to some and nobody wants you to be constantly on business topics, while everybody is dead set against preachments and advice. After you have checked up all the don'ts you find yourself narrowed down to discussing the weather, and even then you would have to lay off the B. C. brand. Editing a paper is a mighty precarious undertaking—even when the going is fairly good—and to make a country paper play sweet and harmonious music week in and week out is no small task. Of course you attempt to make it fairly readable and a little peppy, but these are so many subjects in the don't column that the editor's life is not what might be termed a sweet and resting bed of roses. Every man has his hobby and the editor must be very careful not to jump astride his individual one and ride it too furiously. Once in awhile—and this is one of the times—we would literally hug a man—yes, verily a woman also—who would give us a brand new subject that has not been pulled, hauled or worn threadbare, and so, if under the woodpile, back of barn, behind the counter or tucked away in the pantry, you should run across something entirely new, please pass it along to us and we will endeavor to see that your picture is hung in the Art Gallery of Fame. We want to go on record as publicly acknowledging that we have not acquired all the wisdom of the world, so we ask, urge, invite, implore every fertile-minded reader to kick in any time with any literary gem that is of interest or beneficial to the community.—EX.

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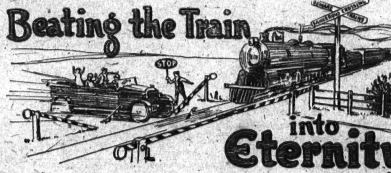
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In a Bulletin issued by the Board of Railway Commissioners on June 15th, 1923, 54 cases of danger at protected crossings are cited for the period October, 1922, to May, 1923, and of these fifty are declared to have been due to the carelessness of motor drivers.

"Motor accidents," says the bulletin, "are becoming more frequent. Every sane motorist deprecates this. If accidents are to be lessened, the sane motorist must educate the culpably negligent motorists."

All highway crossings are by law protected by signs, and they are only dangerous when the driver of the automobile makes them so. They are not dangerous if motorists will take a small part of the care they exercise in turning on a city street. It is the motorist's carelessness that makes them dangerous. The train has right of way. Everyone knows what may happen if the plainly seen warnings are disregarded at a point where the motor car can stop while the train cannot.

The surprising part of it also is that safety signs and precautions erected by the railroads are so often entirely ignored. Time after time newspaper reports show that crossing alarm bells, barrier gates and even watchmen waving "stop" signs mean nothing to the man in the motor car.

Out of 32 level crossing accidents that happened in Ontario during 1922, 22 were the result of the motorist not heeding the stop signal, and seven were the result of running into the lowered gates or actually passing under them after they were lowered or while they were being lowered. Apparently did not see the gates were down while the remainder in other ways tried to cross in front of the engine in order to save time.

In an editorial on this question, the Toronto Star says that: "In a country like this, with its magnificent distances, and railway systems with twenty thousand miles of track, the time may never come when all level crossings will be eliminated. With motor cars in use everywhere there is no railway crossing so remote that a motorist may use it. It is his business to see that he does so at a safe moment. It is his business for two reasons: (1) because it is the presence of him and his car at that time and place, and not the coming of the train, which creates the risk of a crash; and (2) because if there should be a crash he and his car will be crushed and not the train."

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## Inequality That Is Wicked

"The difference between the wages of the man who produces food and of the man who builds a house or plasters a wall is so wicked that it ranks as one of the world's greatest inequalities. It is the fundamental trouble in the nation today."

The words quoted are from a United States farm journal in the course of an article on the present depressed state of agriculture in the Western States, especially in the larger wheat growing States.

The Cleveland Trust Company in its "Business Bulletin" declares that the basic fact is that the prices of farm products and of manufactured goods are seriously out of line. In this "Business Bulletin" there is presented a chart illustrating the above concrete and indisputable fact.

Taking the pre-war year 1913 as representing a standard or normal level of 100 it is shown that the price received by the farmer for his products rose during the war and until 1920 when it reached as high as 240 and then declined until in 1923 the figure stands at 120, or only 20 points above the pre-war level.

During this same period the price paid by the farmer for necessities rose from 100 in 1913 to 215 in 1920, but the decline since has only been to 160 in 1923. In other words, while the price received by the farmer for his products has dropped 120 points since 1920, the price the farmer pays for necessities has only dropped 55 points. The result is that instead of the purchasing power of the farmer's dollar being 100 as it was in 1913, or 112 as it was in 1920, it is now only 86. That is to say, prices the farmer must pay for necessities have not deflated proportionately with the prices of what the farmer has to sell.

Under the circumstances it is not altogether surprising that several hundred wheat growers in the State of Washington recently petitioned the President to ask Congress to buy their farms at once, pay their debts, and allow us to remain on the land and pay us wages, so that we may have some of the comforts of life and all of the necessities."

The figures quoted relate to the United States, but conditions in Western Canada are much the same. At all events they point a moral for this country. It is just as true in Canada as it is in the United States that the disparity in wages of the man who produces food and of the railway employee who transports it to market, or the man who builds a house, plasters a wall, or does a job of plumbing is "wicked."

The writer of this column believes in co-operation between Eastern and Western Canada, between farmer and manufacturer, between the farmer producer of food and the artisan consumer of it. The writer believes that the interests of Canada, east and west, are not antagonistic; on the contrary he believes they are one and mutual. Generally speaking, the people of the West entertain this latter view. Unfortunately—and the plain truth may just as well be written without any attempt at "pussyfooting"—the people of Eastern Canada do not so regard the West.

The East looks upon the West as a body of spoiled children, a lot of chronic complainers who are never, and can never be, satisfied, and who would wreck all Eastern industry if thereby they could benefit themselves. The East holds the view that it made the West, that but for it there would be nothing in the West, and it continues to regard this section of the Dominion as a sort of preserve, or colony, to be exploited for the benefit of the East.

The industrial East cares not how high wages it pays its artisans so long as the West is compelled to buy its products at whatever prices it sees fit to ask, and so long as the West is compelled to ship its products to be sold in or through the East at prices which the East is prepared to pay. But the West must not be allowed to ship its own products to European markets by a Hudson Bay route, or to the United States, or even via the Pacific coast except at a distinct disadvantage. Such direct selling by the West would inevitably mean direct buying and direct shipments to the West, and this the East will not for a moment countenance.

The East watches the crop returns from the West with an eagerness that is almost terrible, but the interest, even anxiety, displayed is not because of the effect on the West, but what a good crop will mean for the financial houses, the manufacturers, the middlemen, and the highly paid artisans of the East.

People in the East have yet to realize the truth of the old fable. They are steadfastly adhering in public relations to a course which is killing the goose that lays golden eggs for them. It is to be hoped for their own sakes, and the future of Canada, as well as for the sake of the West, that they awaken to a full sense of their selfishness, their folly, their injustice, before it is too late to effect a remedy which could even yet be easily applied.

### Southern Farms Import Dairy Products

In one of the Southern States, where cotton growing is the chief occupation, 20 per cent. of the farms are not producing a single egg. 37 per cent. are not raising poultry at all, and 36 per cent. have not a single dairy cow. In another state, well adapted to the poultry industry, the annual importation of poultry products amounted to \$19,000,000. In still another state located 1,000 farms boasted of only 70 dairy cows.

### Grown-Up

Deliberate Old Lady (who has been taking a lot of time to selecting her purchases).—"But I don't think this is lamb. It looks to me like mutton."

Exasperated Butcher.—"It was lamb when I first showed it to you, ma'am."

Deserts cover twenty-five per cent. of the earth's surface.

Lithuanians living in the United States are estimated at 1,000,000.

### British Fleet in Mediterranean

Centre of Sea Power Being Slowly Shifted from North Sea and Atlantic

The striking force of British sea power is being slowly transferred from the North Sea and the Atlantic to the Mediterranean.

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Thus British sea power is relatively higher in the Mediterranean than it has been since the redistribution early in the century. At present, out of seventeen modern battleships, Britain is keeping six in the Mediterranean, out of sixteen new light cruisers six are in the Mediterranean and two destroyers flotilla out of nine are also there.

### Sour Stomach Risings Quickly Relieved

The wonderful comfort and relief you get from even twenty drops of Scoville's Water, it is not unpleasant. Almost instantaneous relief is obtained. It brings up the gas caused by fermenting food, and at the same time it relieves the distressing feeling in the stomach. When cold or cramps seize you at night, when nausea or upset stomach overcomes you, or when you are unable to get to sleep. For general use in the family, for travellers, it is always kept Scoville's Water on the shelf. Get a 3c bottle today.

### Rafts for Lifeboats

Plan is Under Consideration to Make Change on Ocean-Going Ships

The Board of Trade in London, Eng., has under consideration the question of the substitution of rafts for lifeboats on ocean-going ships. The theory that the rafts would not occupy as much space as lifeboats and consequently more could be carried.

Experiments for the protection of passengers on board ship, were recently carried out by Dr. Leonard Hill, a Director of the Department of Applied Physiology. It is calculated that by means of wireless, disaster to a ship can be treated within six hours. Women and children are apt to suffer from exposure during that time, and one suggestion is that thin mackintoshes be placed in the lockers of the rafts so that passengers could put them on immediately.

### BABY'S OWN TABLETS ALWAYS KEPT ON HAND

Mrs. Ernest E. Atkins, Brocton, Sask., writes:—"I have used Baby's Own Tablets with great success for four years and always keep a box on hand." Thousands of other mothers say the same thing—more they have used the Tablets for their little ones. They will use nothing else. Experience shows them that the Tablets are the ideal medicine. They are a mild laxative, thorough in action and never fail to relieve the minor ailments of little ones. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### Shared Ignorance

One day Mr. Simpson met a friend in the street. "Hello," said the friend, "I see you are advertised to write an article for one of the papers. I didn't know you could write." Mr. Simpson, smiling modestly, "Well," he said, "if it comes to that, I didn't know you could read."—Houston Post.

Health cannot be looked for in the child that is subject to worms; because worms destroy health by creating internal disturbances that retard development and cause serious weakness. Miller's Worm Powders expel worms and are so beneficial in their action that the systems of the little sufferers are restored to healthfulness, all the discomforts and dangers of worm infection are removed, and satisfactory growth is assured.

Locomotives of the present day are built on exactly the same principles as those built 100 years ago.

An observing man claims to have discovered the color of the wind. He says he went out and found it blew.

### Catarrah SCOTT'S EMULSION increases resistance

### To Make Anaesthetics Safe

Prevention of All Needless Deaths Through Nation-Wide Campaign

Being put to sleep for operations is to be made much safer and, far more comfortable, members of the congress of anaesthetists stated at a session held in Chicago. Not only have the National Anaesthetic Research Society and the Associated Anaesthetists of the United States and Canada committed themselves to the perfection of hospital anaesthesia service, but also to the prevention of all needless deaths under anaesthetics through a nation-wide safety first campaign it was announced.

### Real Democracy

United States May Still Learn Much From Britain

Lloyd George told the people of New York when he arrived there that the real founder of the British Empire was George Washington. He said that the British Empire the lesson of democracy. George Washington was a great man and a good man. No doubt he did much for democracy. It is not to be forgotten that the spirit of democracy was active in Great Britain long before there was any George Washington. There are Americans today candid enough to admit that in regard to real democracy there are some things which the United States might learn from Great Britain.—Saratoga Beacon-Herald.

### Corns Between the Toes Painlessly Removed

A real, sure, dependable remedy that has been lifting out corns for the past fifty years will surely lift yours out. Putnam's Corn Extractor is the old reliable corn remedy—it stands the test of time and never fails, 25c everywhere.

### Relics of Ancient Race

American Doctor Claims Bones Are 80,000 Years Old

Bones and other relics of a race of men believed to have lived approximately 80,000 years ago have been unearthed in Southwest France by Dr. Henry U. Hall, of the University of Pennsylvania Museum. Dr. Hall, who has returned from Europe, said the race was only a step ahead of the animal. "They lived in a Paleolithic or Old Stone Age and used crude, unpolished flint implements," he said. "The relics I found were in a clay bank at the foot of a hill. They probably had been washed down from an overhanging, where there probably had been a settlement."

In addition to the human bones, Dr. Hall said that he also unearthed the bones of animals, evidently killed by the prehistoric man. He said the human bones resembled those of the Neanderthal type.

### Hebrews Satisfied

Send Word Back Home to Relatives in Scotland to Come to Land of Plenty

That the Hebrew settlers in Alberta, who came to Canada from Scotland, are now contented and satisfied is best proved by the energy with which they are now trying to get their parents in some cases, their brothers, their nearest relatives and the friends in whom they are interested. Already there is a list being drawn up of such relatives. One man thus put it: "Tell them when you get back that the hard working man who is not making a success of it should come here at once and he will make a success of it, and the man who is successful there and making it go will make a bigger success here. Get them all to come."

No need to suffer with corns, or to run the risk of paring them. Remove them safely and painlessly with Holyday's Corn Remover.

He (feeling the urge of spring)—What do you say to a tramp in the park?

She—Why, I never speak to them.

### "Little Foxes"

Entertaining and instructive, the wholesome series of short articles appearing in this paper from week to week, under the heading of "Little Foxes," will be found of particular interest to children. Grown-ups as well can read the series with profit.

Family trees are of no use to the lumber dealer.

The best crop of wild oats usually grows on the poorest soil.

W. N. U. 1498

### Canada in Envious Position

No Reason For Pessimism Says Hon. Ernest Lapointe

Canadians should pledge themselves to the task of shattering sectional barriers and silencing the apostles of pessimism to the effect that Canada may never have the present period of trial a thoroughgoing nation, united and confident, Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, declared in Victoria at a public meeting.

The minister pointed out that Canada was the only country that had participated in the whole war whose money was at par and that there could be no pessimistic talk when a nation was so fully charged with the vigor of youth as Canada. "I ask you, have we reason to despair," he asked. "Eighty per cent. of Canada's national debt is owed to our own citizens. A few years ago most of our borrowings were from other nations, but that time has definitely passed. Why should there be 'whispers of death' when there is no death, only the vigor of youth?"

### Dog Had Wonderful Vitality

Was Imprisoned Twenty-one Days Without Food or Drink

A farmer residing near Ingersoll, Ont., is wondering just how long a dog can live without food or water, and under the most adverse conditions. The dog was trapped from home and the farmer was at a loss to know what happened to him. For days he expected his return, but no dog came. Five days passed. Ten had come and gone, so had fifteen, but no dog yet. Twenty days passed and still the dog did not return. By that time the farmer had given up all hope of ever recovering his four-footed friend.

On the twenty-first day the farmer happened to be passing through a field on the back of the farm, to his heard a whining, meaning sound. Upon seeking its source he found his dog, its head imprisoned in a groundhog hole. There was little left of the animal, but it still lived. Now the farmer wonders how long the dog was imprisoned in the hole.

### Baby Cutting Teeth Was Very Sick With Diarrhoea

When the baby starts to cut its teeth, especially during the hot weather, then is the time that the poor mother is under the stress and strain of great anxiety.

There is no remedy so safe and effective for the teething complaints of infants, as Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, no remedy that has had the endorsement of so many Canadian mothers during the past 75 years it has been on the market.

Mrs. C. W. Myers, Claverville, Man., writes: "My baby girl was very sick with diarrhoea when she was cutting her teeth. I tried several different remedies, but nothing did her any good. She was getting weaker and weaker until I sent out a bottle of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. I gave her a few doses and the next day she was much better, and in a couple more days she was as well as ever."

Now, I always keep Dr. Fowler's in the house and recommend it to all those troubled with diarrhoea." Price 50c a bottle; put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

### New Island Discovered

Was Hidden By Eighty-Foot Iceberg in Arctic

The Norwegian, Captain Viktor Arnesen, who has just returned from the Arctic region, claims to have discovered an island, twelve English miles in circumference, near Franz Joseph's Land, its latitude 80 degrees 40 minutes. It was previously hidden by an iceberg between 70 and 80 feet high, which has melted. This shows the exceptional nature of recent thawing in the Arctic.

### A Woman Tea-Taster

Mrs. Lane, the centre of the London wholesale tea trade, has a woman tea-taster. Young and well-balanced, the pretty girl has hundreds of samples of tea to test, and in an incredibly short time gets through the sampling of 30 or 40 cups of tea.

Itches may have wings, but they don't seem to have any tail that one can put sail on.

### CHILDREN CRY FOR "CASTORIA"

Especially Prepared for Infants and Children of All Ages

Wherever recommended it. The kind you have always bought bears signature of J. C. Fletcher. Castoria for Infants, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrup. Contains no harmful ingredients. Contains no opium. Contains no alcohol. Contains no sugar. Contains no oil. Contains no fat. Contains no anything.

### A SURGERY IN A TWO-INCH BOX



### Unequalled For SKIN TROUBLES

### WRIGLEY'S

Take it home to the kids. Have a packet in your pocket for an over-early treat. A delicious confection and an aid to the teeth, appetite, digestion.



### Not Mobilizing For War

Russia Explains Classes Called Up for New Territorial Army

The chiefs of the Moscow military district issued statements to the press declaring that the summoning of six military classes for militia training has no connection with any mobilization for war. The statements were issued in answer to rumors circulated that war was at hand.

The classes of 1902, 1903, said the statements, were called up for only 240 hours of preliminary military training, while the 1898, 1899, 1900 and 1901 classes will merely rehearse briefly the training they have already received. The whole movement is in line with the system creating the new territorial army.

### For the Daily Bread

Heavy Crops Harvested in Three Prairie Provinces

In its latest estimate of the yield of field-crops in Canada, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics places this year's wheat crop at 469,770,000 bushels, compared with 399,786,000 bushels last year; oats, 531,378,000 bushels, as against 493,329,000 in 1922; barley, 357,000, compared with 71,865,300 a year ago. The average yields in bushels per acre are placed at 20% for wheat, 38% for oats and 28% for barley. The three prairie provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, produced 445,570,000 bushels of wheat, 545,797,000 bushels of oats, 625,650,000 bushels of barley, and large crops of rye, flaxseed, hay, etc.

Relieves Asthma at Little Expense. Thousands of dollars have been vainly spent upon remedies for asthma and asthmoid, with any relief. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy, despite its assurance of benefit, costs so little that it is within reach of all. It is the national remedy for asthma, far removed from the class of doubtful and experimental preparations. Your dealer can supply it.

Government Elevator At Edmonton. Preparations are now being made to commence construction of the million dollar government storage elevator which is to be established at Edmonton on the National Railway line.

A pearl discovered in fresh-water mussel in the River Conway, North Wales, is said to form one of the crown jewels.

### Everywhere



The Tobacco with a heart



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## ANNOUNCEMENT

Until our new Garage is ready we will have our **AUTO REPAIR SHOP** at **SMALL-WOOD'S Old Garage** across the track opposite the **Cosmopolitan Hotel**, with **Mr. A. Dube** in charge.

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Bread is your best food—Eat more of it.  
You can eat slice after slice of it when it's really good bread with the tempting quality that comes from all pure ingredients.  
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## Local and General Items

For funeral services phone 212, Crow's Nest Pass Undertakings Co.

There is only one way in climbing in business and that is to stay on the level.

High River is boosting a fund for the purpose of erecting a closed-in skating rink.

Mrs. Shead and Miss B. Shead leave Pincher Creek this week end to take up residence at Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Murphy, of Frank, were week end visitors to Lethbridge.

It has been said that over in Germany they are printing paper to make it worth less—Yah, yah, worthless!

The dance given in the opera house last night under the auspices of Crowfoot Rebekah Lodge, was largely attended. Mason's "Big Five" orchestra furnished music.

Wah Lee, of Lethbridge, is this week taking stock at the King George Cafe, with a view to purchasing the business. In all probability the transfer will take place next week.

Clare Snyder, for some time connected with the Union Bank staff here, left on Saturday last for Cochrane, Alberta, where he takes the position of teller in the bank's branch.

The idea is held out in England that giant airships will in future travel from England to Canada in less than thirty hours. These ships can be turned out almost as rapidly as autos at present.

Rev. George Armstrong occupied the pulpit of the Union church on Sunday evening last. His discourse was upon the theme of the public life and was an able and thoughtful oration.

About two dozen Oddfellows from Blairmore and Coleman motored to Michel on Friday night last where they witnessed the Initiatory Degree conferred by the Michel team. Following the lodge meeting, a banquet and social hour was enjoyed.

Western Canadian flour is in such great demand in the east and overseas that the Canadian Pacific Railway, operating a line of its own steamers in carrying flour, has been compelled to charter the steamers of another company to assist in the rush.

Exercising its arbitrary powers the Workmen's Compensation Board of Alberta, in session at Drumheller last week, decided to increase the monthly payment of the medical fee throughout the province to four cents per each member on the payroll as from November 1st, as against the existing rate of three cents. Messrs. John T. Stirling, W. F. McNeill and J. A. Kinney compose the Board.

Crown Attorney Armour, of Toronto, stated that he would take criminal proceedings against the police who were involved in the shooting of the run-runner Mattie C., on October 6, which resulted in the death of John Gogo, of St. Catharines, one of the crew, following a jury's verdict that they made use of their firearms without justification in a case which was not a criminal offence.

Bobby had almost finished his reading lesson when he came to a word he could not pronounce.

"Barque," prompted the teacher.

Bobby looked at his classmates and grinned.

"Barque, Bobby!" exclaimed the teacher harshly.

Bobby, looking up at the teacher finally cried out: "Bow-wow-wow!"

Mrs. W. J. Howe left last Tuesday evening for Washington, D.C.

Beginning with October 5th, the introduction of news into Turkey by foreign agencies was prohibited.

A dance will be given by the Blairmore Golf Club at the Greenhill Grill on the night of Friday, November 9th.

Right Honorable Andrew Bonar Law, Canadian-born ex-premier of Great Britain, died on Tuesday morning of septic pneumonia.

London's historic evening paper, the Pall Mall Gazette, closed down on Saturday last and has been merged into the Evening Standard, now controlled by Lord Beaverbrook.

LOST—Pair of Glasses, between the opera house, and Mr. J. Little's residence. Finder will please return to Enterprise and receive reward of two dollars.

Mr. S. J. Sargent, of this town, was married at New Malden, Surrey, England, on October 15th, and the newly-married couple have since been honeymooning at Hastings Beach.

Rev. W. T. Young, pastor of the Union church, occupied the pulpit of Macleod Methodist church both morning and evening of Sunday last. In the evening Mr. Young took as his subject "Prohibition," and was given an attentive hearing.

One effect of Prohibition in Alberta appears to be the almost total annihilation of the gopher tribe. It is said that gophers have added flavor to hundreds of thousands of barrels of good moonshine liquor and that should government control come about many a booze artist of today will miss that flavor.

Mayor A. McLeod is busy this week signing affidavits with depositors of the local branch of the Home Bank of Canada as to their interest. Mr. McLeod has been appointed by the Toronto liquidators for this work.

The public like to be made believe occasionally by the prohibitionists or the Department of Attorney General that the police are doing their utmost to curtail or stop illicit traffic in intoxicating beverages in the province, but can they tell us why it is necessary for a police officer to come to Blairmore from Bellevue to search for liquor when the general public knows that "cleaning up" is more necessary at Bellevue?

## SHOOTING AFFRAY

AT BELLEVUE

At a late hour yesterday a row between two Belgian spinners at Bellevue ended in one of the parties drawing a gun and shooting, the bullet entering the lower part of the face and traveling in the direction of the ear. He was rushed to hospital where he lies in a critical condition. The victim is named Theofil Hermann, while the alleged assailant of August Costeur. The latter was taken into custody by Constable Cotterell, of the A.P.F., and was lodged in the Blairmore goal where he now awaits preliminary hearing. In their haste to get to the scene, the police had the misfortune to run over a small child, who with others had been engaged in Halloween pranks. The child was knocked down by the horse, but fortunately was not seriously hurt.

## TEA AND SALE AT FRANK

The ladies of Frank will hold a tea and sale of home cooking, fruit and pickles at the home of Mrs. J. J. Murray, on Friday, November 2nd, from 3 to 6 p.m. Proceeds in aid of the church.

## Quality Jams

We have just received a shipment of Beach Eakin's Pure Jams. It is excellent value at the price.

Raspberry, Strawberry, Black Currant, Loganberry

Apricot and Gooseberry, per tin ..... \$1.00

Empress Jam in 4 lb glass jars ..... \$1.25

New Mincemeat, 4 lb tins ..... \$1.00

Libby's Mincemeat in glass jars ..... 60c

Another shipment of Mackintosh Red and Wagner

Apples, per box ..... \$2.25

Gold Coin Potatoes, B. C. Turnips, Carrots, Beets, Parsnips, Onions, Etc.

Claresholm Butter, 2 lbs for ..... 95c

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P.O. Box 188

BLAIRMORE

Phone 79

## CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. A. M. Elliott desires to express her sincerest gratitude to all friends for assistance during the illness of her dear husband and for the many expressions of sympathy extended to her in the severe loss she has sustained.

W. Knight has treated himself to a new Ford coupe.

WANTED—Two more violin pupils in Blairmore. For particulars apply to W. H. Moser, Alberta Conservatory of Music, Lethbridge.—25-2

## TENDERS

FOR SCHOOL HOUSE

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Board of Trustees of School District No. 5860, Fir Grove, Post office Lundbreck, at the office of the Secretary-Treasurer, up to noon of Thursday, November 15th 1923, for the erection of a frame school building. Plans and specifications may be obtained from the Secretary-Treasurer on payment of a deposit of \$5.00, which will be returned on receipt of a bona fide tender with plans and specifications. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted. Dated at Lundbreck, Alberta, this 27th day of October, 1923. A. W. LARMOUR, Secretary-Treasurer.



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